Appendix 1 (as supplied by authors): International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM) Format Coding Used for Cohort Formation and Formation of Study Covariates

- 1. Coding for exclusion criteria in cohort formation. Exclusion criteria was assess in the one-year period prior to index date (defined in the manuscript). A broad set of ICD-9-CM coding was used to exclude as many patients as possible with prior conditions of the kidney. Coding was obtained from a large number of validation studies from the following two systematic reviews for diseases of the kidney [1-2]
 - 250.40: Diabetes mellitus with renal manifestation, type II or unspecified type, not stated as uncontrolled
 - 250.41: Diabetes mellitus with renal manifestation, type I not stated as uncontrolled
 - 250.42: Diabetes mellitus with renal manifestation, type II or unspecified type, uncontrolled
 - 250.43: Diabetes mellitus with renal manifestation, type I uncontrolled
 - 403.11: Benign hypertensive renal disease with renal failure
 - 403.91: Unspecified hypertensive renal disease with renal failure
 - 404.13: Hypertensive heart and chronic kidney disease, benign, with heart failure and chronic kidney disease stage V or end stage renal disease
 - 404.92: Hypertensive heart and chronic kidney disease, unspecified, without heart failure and with chronic kidney disease stage V or end stage renal disease
 - 404.93: Hypertensive heart and chronic kidney disease, unspecified, with heart failure and chronic kidney disease stage V or end stage renal disease
 - 581.0: Nephrotic syndrome with lesion of proliferative glomerulonephritis
 - 581.1: Nephrotic syndrome with lesion of membranous glomerulonephritis
 - 581.2: Nephrotic syndrome with lesion of membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis
 - 581.3: Nephrotic syndrome with lesion of minimal change glomerulonephritis
 - 581.81: Nephrotic syndrome in diseases classified elsewhere
 - 581.89: Other nephrotic syndrome with specified pathological lesion in kidney
 - 582.1: Chronic glomerulonephritis with lesion of membranous glomerulonephritis
 - 582.2: Chronic glomerulonephritis with lesion of membranoproliferative glomerulonephritis
 - 582.81: Chronic glomerulonephritis in diseases classified elsewhere
 - 582.89: Other chronic glomerulonephritis with specified pathological lesion in kidney
 - 582.9: Chronic glomerulonephritis with unspecified pathological lesion in kidney
 - 583.0: Nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic with lesion of proliferative glomerulonephritis
 - 583.6: Nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic with lesion of renal cortical necrosis
 - 583.81: Nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic in diseases classified elsewhere
 - 583.89: Other nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic with specified pathological lesion in kidney

- 583.9: Nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic with unspecified pathological lesion in kidney
- 584.0: Acute renal failure ARF, unspecified
- 584.5: Acute tubular necrosis
- 584.6: Cortical ARF
- 584.7: Medullary ARF
- 584.8: ARF with other specified pathologic lesion
- 584.9: ARF not otherwise specified
- 585: Renal failure chronic
- 585.1: Chronic kidney disease stage I
- 585.2: Chronic kidney disease stage II
- 585.3: Chronic kidney disease stage III
- 585.4: Chronic kidney disease stage IV
- 585.5: Chronic kidney disease stage V
- 585.6: End stage renal disease
- 585.9: Chronic kidney disease unspecified
- 586: Renal failure unspecified
- 587: Renal sclerosis unspecified
- 588: Disorders resulting from impaired renal function
- 588.0: Renal osteodystrophy
- 588.1: Nephrogenic diabetes insipitus
- 588.8: Other specified disorders resulting from impaired renal function
- 588.81: Secondary hyperparathyroidism (of renal origin)
- 288.89: Other specified disorders resulting from impaired renal function
- 588.9: Unspecified disorder resulting from impaired renal function
- V42.0: Kidney replaced by transplant
- V45.1: Postsurgical renal dialysis status
- V56.2: Fitting and adjustment of peritoneal dialysis catheter
- V56.0: Aftercare involving extracorporeal dialysis
- V56.31: Encounter for adequacy testing for hemodialysis
- V56.32: Encounter for adequacy testing for peritoneal dialysis
- V56.8: Encounter for other dialysis

2. Coding for the study outcome of acute renal failure. ICD-9-CM codes were obtained from validation studies as described in the text of the manuscript [3-4]

584.0 (acute renal failure (ARF), unspecified)

584.5 (acute tubular necrosis)

584.6 (cortical ARF)

584.7 (medullary ARF)

584.8 (ARF with other specified pathologic lesion)

584.9 (ARF not otherwise specified).

3. Coding used for covariate formation

Cancer (Coding obtained from the Charlson Comorbidity Score [5-6])

140:	Malignant neoplasm of lip
141:	Malignant neoplasm of tongue
142:	Malignant neoplasm of major salivary glands
143:	Malignant neoplasm of gum
144:	Malignant neoplasm of floor of mouth
145:	Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified parts of mouth
146:	Malignant neoplasm of oropharynx
147:	Malignant neoplasm of nasopharynx
148:	Malignant neoplasm of hypopharynx
149:	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites within the lip oral cavity and pharynx
150:	Malignant neoplasm of esophagus
151:	Malignant neoplasm of stomach
152:	Malignant neoplasm of small intestine including duodenum
153:	Malignant neoplasm of colon
154:	Malignant neoplasm of rectum rectosigmoid junction and anus
155:	Malignant neoplasm of liver and intrahepatic bile ducts
156:	Malignant neoplasm of gallbladder and extrahepatic bile ducts
157:	Malignant neoplasm of pancreas
158:	Malignant neoplasm of retroperitoneum and peritoneum
159:	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites within the digestive organs and
	peritoneum
160:	Malignant neoplasm of nasal cavities middle ear and accessory sinuses
161:	Malignant neoplasm of larynx
162:	Malignant neoplasm of trachea bronchus and lung
163:	Malignant neoplasm of pleura
164:	Malignant neoplasm of thymus heart and mediastinum
165:	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites within the respiratory system and
	intrathoracic organs
170:	Malignant neoplasm of bone and articular cartilage
171:	Malignant neoplasm of connective and other soft tissue
172:	Malignant melanoma of skin
175:	Malignant neoplasm of male breast
176:	Kaposi's sarcoma
179:	Malignant neoplasm of uterus, part unspecified
180:	Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri
181:	Malignant neoplasm of placenta
182:	Malignant neoplasm of body of uterus
183:	Malignant neoplasm of ovary and other uterine adnexa
185:	Malignant neoplasm of prostate
186:	Malignant neoplasm of testis
187:	Malignant neoplasm of penis and other male genital organs

188:	Malignant neoplasm of bladder
189:	Malignant neoplasm of kidney and other and unspecified urinary organs
190:	Malignant neoplasm of eye
191:	Malignant neoplasm of brain
192:	Malignant neoplasm of other and unspecified parts of nervous system
193:	Malignant neoplasm of thyroid gland
194:	Malignant neoplasm of other endocrine glands and related structures
195:	Malignant neoplasm of other and ill-defined sites
200:	Lymphosarcoma and reticulosarcoma and other specified malignant tumors of
	lymphatic tissue
201:	Hodgkin's disease 201
203:	Multiple myeloma and immunoproliferative neoplasms
205.	Myeloid leukemia

205: Myeloid leukemia

206: Monocytic leukemia

207: Other specified leukemia

208: Leukemia of unspecified cell type

Congestive Heart Failure (Coding obtained from the Charlson Comorbidity Score [5-6])

428: Heart Failure

Diabetes Mellitus (Coding obtained from the Charlson Comorbidity Score [5-6])

250: Diabetes mellitus

Human Immunodeficiency Virus (Coding obtained from the Charlson Comorbidity Score [5-6])

042: Human Immunodeficiency Virus [HIV] disease

Hypertension

401: Essential Hypertension

Genitourinary Infection

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590: Infections of kidney

595: Cystitis

599: Other disorders of urethra and urinary tract

Respiratory Infection

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017:	Tuberculosis of skin and subcutaneous cellular tissue, unspecified				
031:	Diseases due to mycobacteria				
034:	Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever				
135:	Sarcoidosis				
460:	Acute nasopharyngitis				
461:	Acute sinusitis				
462:	Acute pharyngitis				
463:	Acute tonsillitis				
464:	Acute laryngitis and tracheitis				
465:	Acute upper respiratory infections of multiple or unspecified sites				
466:	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis				
471:	Nasal polyps				
472:	Chronic pharyngitis and nasopharyngitis				
473:	Chronic sinusitis				
474:	Chronic disease of tonsils and adenoids				
475:	Peritonsillar abscess				
476:	Chronic laryngitis and laryngotracheitis				
478:	Other diseases of upper respiratory tract				
481:	Pneumococcal pneumonia				
482:	Other bacterial pneumonia				
483:	Pneumonia due to other specified organism				
484:	Pneumonia in infectious diseases classified elsewhere				
485:	Bronchopneumonia, organism unspecified				
486:	Pneumonia, organism unspecified				
490:	Bronchitis, not specified as acute or chronic				
491:	Chronic bronchitis				
507:	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids				
511:	Pleurisy				
513:	Abscess of lung and mediastinum				
514:	Pulmonary congestion and hypostasis				
515:	Postinflammatory pulmonary fibrosis				
516:	Other alveolar and parietoalveolar pneumonopathy				
517:	Lung involvement in conditions classified elsewhere				

Gastrointestinal Infection

518:

519:

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003: Other salmonella infections005: Other food poisoning (bacterial)

Other diseases of lung

008: Intestinal infections due to other organisms

Other diseases of respiratory system

009:	Ill-defined intestinal infections
085:	Leishmaniasis
041:	Bacterial infection in conditions classified elsewhere and of unspecified site
531:	Gastric ulcer
532:	Duodenal ulcer
533:	Peptic ulcer site unspecified
535:	Gastritis and duodenitis
536:	Disorders of function of stomach
537:	Other disorders of stomach and duodenum
538:	Gastrointestinal mucositis (ulcerative)
555:	Regional enteritis
556:	Ulcerative enterocolitis
562:	Diverticula of intestine
564:	Functional digestive disorders not elsewhere classified
567:	Peritonitis and retroperitoneal infections
568:	Other disorders of peritoneum

Skin and Soft Tissue Infection

Other disorders of intestine

569:

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035: 680:	Erysipelas Carbuncle and furuncle
681:	Cellulitis and abscess of finger and toe
682:	Other cellulitis and abscess
684:	Impetigo
686:	Other local infection of skin and subcutaneous tissue
691:	Atopic dermatitis and related conditions
692:	Contact dermatitis and other eczema
694:	Bullous dermatoses
695:	Erythematous conditions
696:	Other psoriasis
698:	Pruritus and related conditions
700:	Corns and callosities
701:	Other hypertrophic and atrophic conditions of the skin
702:	Other dermatoses
707:	Chronic ulcer of skin
528:	Diseases of the oral soft tissues excluding lesions specific for gingiva and tongue
893:	Open wound of toe(s)

Joint or Bone Infection

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730:	Osteomyelitis	neriostitis and	other infections	involving hone
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731: Osteitis derormans and osteopathies associated with other disorders classified elsewhere

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